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SUBJECT: EXPORT CONTROL: ROMANIAN INTEREST IN TWO SURPLUS QANTAS

BOEING 707S

1. DEFENCE DIVISION OF DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS (DFA)
INFORMED EMBASSY JULY 2 OF EXPRESSION OF INTEREST BY
ROMANIAN STATE AIRLINES TAROM IN TENDERING ON TWO SURPLUS
QANTAS BOEING 707 AIRCRAFT. THE INQUIRY COMES THROUGH THE
AUSTRALIAN AIR TRANSPORT GROUP (ATG) (EQUIVALENT OF
CIVIL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION) WHICH HAS BEEN APPROACHED BY
PRIVATE FIRM, AUSTRALIAN AIRCRAFT SALES LTD., IN ROMANIANS'
BEHALF. DFA CONFIRMS THESE AIRCRAFT ARE IN ADDITION TO TWO
QANTAS 707S RECENTLY SOLD TO BRITISH CALEDONIAN

2. ATG HAS ASKED DFA TO ASCERTAIN FROM EMBASSY SPECIFICALLY
WHAT PROCEDURE QANTAS SHOULD FOLLOW IN OBTAINING COMMERCE
DEPARTMENT APPROVAL TO RE-EXPORT AIRCRAFT TO ROMANIANS IN
EVENT DEAL CONCLUDED. WE RESPONDED WE DID NOT WISH TO
GIVE OFF-THE-CUFF ANSWER, WOULD CHECK WITH WASHINGTON
AND REPLY LATER.

3. EMBASSY PROPOSES TO REPLY THAT QANTAS SHOULD OBTAIN
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EXPLICIT APPROVAL FOR TRANSACTION FROM OFFICE OF EXPORT

ADMINISTRATION. AS EMBASSY DOES NOT HAVE STOCK OF FORM IA-1145 ON HAND WE WILL SUGGEST APPLICATION BE IN FORM OF LETTER PROVIDING INFORMATION SPECIFIED IN 374.3(A)(2) OF EXPORT ADMINISTRATION REGULATIONS AND ACCOMPANIED BY DOCUMENTATION DESCRIBED IN 374.3(D)(1)(SMALLII) .

4. ACTION REQUESTED: WOULD APPRECIATE CONFIRMATION RESPONSE WE PROPOSE TO MAKE IS CORRECT ALONG WITH ANY ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATE GUIDANCE.
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